Where exactly do we go on OPI's site to start the process?

Go to the OPI website and choose E-grants from the drop-down menu. If your district has you set up, you should be able to click on the Login button and go right into area where you will create an application.

I have gone into the E-grants and cannot find the Perkins information.

Your security coordinator has not given you rights to the system. Districts are responsible for granting rights to users within the district.

I am in the E-grants system and it says this district is not eligible to create an application.

You have to be logged in as a HS (or K-12) district to create a Perkins application. If you are logged in as an elementary district, you will receive this message.

I am working on the Required and Permissive Uses of Funds part of the application. The key phrase is "Indicate how Perkins funds will be used." I have been checking only those things we use Perkins funds for—we do many of things with non-Perkins funds, but I am not checking them. Is this right?

Yes.

I am to the Performance Level – Summary page. I have a couple of questions one column is "Previously Reported Performance." Is this asking for the CRT scores from 2005-2006 (as we don't have 2006-2007)? Is this asking just for CTE concentrators' scores and graduation rate (and not all students)?

Yes and yes. However 2007-2008 is a baseline collection year. We don't have any previous performance level information so none will show on the application pages.

Can I use a different target level on the Accountability indicators?

No. These indicators are the NCLB negotiated levels and cannot be adjusted.

Why can't I submit my application?

The Submit button and check boxes for assurances are only available to the Authorized Representative. If you are not the district's authorized representative, you will not be able to submit the application.